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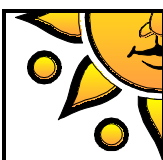
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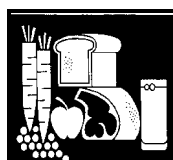
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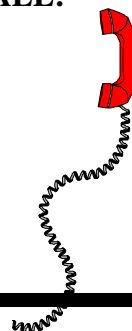
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NEED ASSISTANCE CALL:

School Meals Program	(517) 373-3347
Food Distribution	(517) 373-8642
Fiscal Reporting	(517) 373-2077
Child Care Food Program	(517) 373-7391
Fax Number	(517) 373-4022





Food For Thought

WATCH YOUR MAIL DURING THE MONTH OF MAY

Schedule A is coming!

(TIP: If it doesn't reach the food service office, check your business office before you leave for summer break)

The Schedule A for Application/Agreement renewal will be sent to SFA's in May this year. We are sending the forms to you earlier because they *must be returned* to us no later than **August 15, 2000**. We need to receive the information from all SFA in a timely manner, so that your MEIS claim forms will be accurate and available for your reimbursement claims in the Fall. The forms that must be reviewed, updated if needed, and returned are:

- Schedule A - 2000 School Breakfast, Lunch and Special Milk Program Status
- Attachment #5 - Collection Procedure/Accountability
- Attachment #5A - NSLP/SBP Collection Procedure Checklist

This mailing will also include the prototype forms for free milk/free and reduced price meal applications. These forms will be grouped together in a packet labeled Prototype Forms: 2000/2001 for easy identification.

We need 100% return response on Schedule A and Attachments #5 and #5A from you by August 15, 2000. Please help us meet our goal. Call the School Meals Unit if you have any questions. (517) 373-2077 or 373-3347.

Staff Updates

Welcome Linda!

Linda Stull joined our staff on May 1, 2000. Linda is a registered dietician, who earned her bachelor of science degree from the University of Wisconsin and her Master of Science from Cardinal Stritch College in Milwaukee, Wisconsin. Linda has a variety of experience in the field of nutrition, most recently as the WIC coordinator for Southeastern Michigan Health Association. She has also worked as clinical dietitian, nutrition service director, nutritional services consultant, and a quality assurance manager for Sky Chef (formerly Marriott In-Flite). Linda will be working 4 days a week in the school meals unit.

Welcome Back!

We would like to welcome Kathy Rhodes back from her leave of absence. Kathy will be working part-time; Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday with the TEFAP and CSFP agencies.

May/June Claims For Reimbursement

If you are not going to combine your May and June claims, please be sure that you have notified us that you want to file a June claim. You can determine this by checking your copy of the "Schedule A" form that you filed for the current school year. If on Page 1, #5, you circled the month of June, there will be a June claim available on MEIS for your claim data. If you did not circle that month and find that you need to file a June claim, notify our office as soon as possible. That month can then be made available on MEIS. (This also applies if you need to file a July claim).

Otherwise, the May/June claim submission process remains the same as in prior years. If

you are going to be in operation for 10 days or less in June, you do not need to transmit a June claim. Combine June's data with your May claim data and submit both when filing the May claim.

If you will be serving meals for more than 10 days in June, you must transmit a separate claim for that month. Please transmit your June claim data as soon as possible after your last serving day. State payment calculations cannot be made until all of June's data has been received and processed.

This also applies to the August and September claims. If you have 10 days or less to claim for August, combine it with your September claim. If you require an August claim be sure that you have requested this on your Schedule A. If you have not please notify us. Any questions can be directed Pam Miller at (517) 373-1074.

MONOTONY BREAKER "CHERRY SORBET CUP"



Now that the weather is warming up, why not treat your students to a "Cherry Sorbet Cup"!! This delicious product contains commodity cherries as well as concentrated apple juice. Each 2.5 oz. serving contains 1/2 cup of fruit or vegetable requirement. Cases are packed 96/2.5 oz. plastic cups. There are no preservatives, no artificial colors and this product is CHOLESTEROL and FAT FREE!! The processor is offering a \$2.00 per case rebate as of May 1, 2000. Simply send a copy of your invoice to:

Ben Tabatchnick
Tabatchnick
1230 Hamilton Street
Somerset, NJ 08873

TWO NEW Commodity Muffins

COMMODITY NEWS: United Commodity Group is happy to announce the addition of .

Apple Raisin Muffins - packed 96/2 oz. Per Case`

Raisin Spice Muffins - packed 96/2 oz. Per Case

All the muffins are individually wrapped. Products are available for your next delivery, as well as the start of school in August.

COMMODITY UPDATE:

You may soon begin to see some changes in the Food Distribution program as a result of CORE. We anticipate the use of commercial labels on some of the USDA purchased food. We expect a delivery of bonus apples in July that will be packed under commercial labels. You should receive this product in the fall. We will keep you updated as we receive more information on these topics.

Register Early For Summer Classes!!!

Now is the time to get in your registrations for summer Statewide Training classes. Classes are beginning to fill up already. Please remember



that all deadlines and prerequisites will be adhered to maintain the integrity of the

Statewide Training Program. If you have any questions, please call Paula Kerr at 517-241-3885 or Linda and Jane at 517-373-3347.

**Single Unit Managers Workshop
Two Locations**

Monday, July 17,2000
Holiday Inn South
Lansing, Michigan

Wednesday, July 19,2000
AuSable Primary School
Grayling, Michigan

Watch your mail for more information

HELP WANTED

Lakeshore Public Schools has an opening for a Food Service Director beginning with the school year 2000-01. Interested applicants should contact Ron Ciranna, J.D., Assistant Superintendent for Administrative Services, Lakeshore Public Schools, 28850 Harper Ave., St. Clair Shores, MI 48081 for job specifications and skill requirements.

**GOVERNOR SIGNS
FOOD SANITATION BILL**

Governor John Engler signed on May 8, 2000 HB 5196, PA92 effective in six months. This new state law covers The bill covers the manufacture, production, processing and packing, holding food for sale and service of

food. It will impact food sanitation in restaurants, groceries, food processors and other establishments. The bill consolidates current law and incorporates the U.S. Food and Drug Administration 1999 Food Code.

There will be four licensing categories for service establishments, sets April 30 as the expiration date for all licenses and permits a licensee to use alternative practices to those in the Food Code to handle ready-to-eat foods with bare hands. Fines would be imposed only on those establishments which are cited for repeated violations that were uncorrected beyond an allotted time period.

The bill also includes the creation of a fund to train consumers on food safety. The consumer safety education fund would be supported by part of the \$3 and \$2 fee increases for food establishments and food service licenses respectively. Total fee increases in the bill would be \$630,000, a 60 percent increase over current revenue.

Most of the fees will be used to support the \$1.3 million costs of the Department of Agriculture for administration, training and inspection responsibilities.



**Regulatory
Issues**

<div>May, 2000</div> <div>CALENDAR OF EVENTS</div> <div>CHILD NUTRITION PROGRAM</div>		<div>Michigan State Board of Education</div> <div>Dorothy Beardmore, President</div> <div>Kathleen N. Straus, Vice President</div> <div>Herbert S. Moyer, Secretary</div> <div>Sharon Wise, Treasurer</div> <div>Sharon L. Gire</div> <div>Marianne Yared McGuire</div> <div>Clark Durant</div> <div>Eileen L. Weiser</div> <div>Arthur E. Ellis, Superintendent</div> <div>Governor John Engler, Ex-Officio</div>
May 2000		
10	April Monthly Claim Due	
15-19	Child Nutrition Employee Recognition Week	
30	Cut-off for March Monthly Claim	
June 2000		
10	May Monthly Claim Due	
29	Cut-Off for April Monthly Claim	
July 2000		
10	June Monthly Claim Due	
17	Single Unit Manager Workshop - Holiday Inn South, Lansing, MI	
19	Single Unit Manager Workshop - Grayling, Michigan	
30	Cut-off for May Monthly Claim	

No person because of race, color, national origin, sex, age, or disability shall be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be otherwise subject to discrimination in our United States Department of Agriculture donated food and child nutrition programs. Any person who believes they have been discriminated against should write immediately to the Secretary of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250.

STATEWIDE TRAINING PROGRAM CLASS SCHEDULE 2000

***NOTE: All registrations must be in the MDE office before the deadline dates--
registrations received after the deadline dates will be returned!***

BASICS - 100

Fee: Member \$18.00 and Non-Member \$25.00

Location	Dates	Times
Macomb ISD 44001 Garfield Road Clinton Township, MI <i>Deadline: June 12, 2000</i>	June 26-29, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Freeland Jr./Sr. High School 8250 Webster Road Freeland, MI <i>Deadline: June 14, 2000</i>	June 28-29, 2000	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (28th) 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. (29 th)
Kalamazoo RESA 1819 E. Milham Avenue Kalamazoo, MI <i>Deadline: June 14, 2000</i>	June 28-29, 2000	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Okemos High School 2800 Jolly Road Okemos, MI <i>Deadline: July 17, 2000</i>	July 31 - Aug. 1, 2000	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (31st) 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. (1st)
Grayling Elementary 1000 Michigan Avenue Grayling, MI <i>Deadline: July 19, 2000</i>	August 2-3, 2000	10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (2nd) 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m. (3rd)
Houghton-Portage Township Schools 203 West Jacker Houghton, MI <i>Deadline: July 24, 2000</i>	August 7-8, 2000	9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (7th) 10:00 a.m.- 12:00 Noon (8th)
Genesee ISD Health & Nutrition Serv. Bldg. 5089 Pilgrim Road Flint, MI <i>Deadline: July 31, 2000</i> <i>NOTE: Lunch fee is \$6.00 and should be mailed directly to GISD--do not add this fee into your registration fee.</i>	August 14-15, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

SANITATION & SAFETY - 120

Fee: Member \$18.00 and Non-Member \$25.00

Location	Dates	Times
Columbia Middle School 321 School Street	June 26-27, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Brooklyn, MI

Deadline: June 12, 2000

Freeland Jr./Sr. High School

8250 Webster Road

Freeland, MI

Deadline: June 12, 2000

June 26-27, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Kalamazoo RESA

1819 E. Milham Avenue

Kalamazoo, MI

Deadline: June 12, 2000

June 26-27, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Waterford Mott High School

1151 Scott Lake Road

Waterford, MI

Deadline: June 13, 2000

June 27-28, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Washtenaw ISD

1819 S. Wagner Road

Ann Arbor, MI

Deadline: July 19, 2000

August 2-3, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Genesee ISD

Health & Nutrition Serv. Bldg.

5089 Pilgrim Road

Flint, MI

Deadline: July 20, 2000

August 3-4, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

NOTE: Lunch fee is \$6.00 and should be mailed directly to GISD--do not add this fee into your registration fee.

Houghton-Portage

Township Schools

203 West Jacker

Houghton, MI

Deadline: July 25, 2000

August 8-9, 2000

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. (8th)

8:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m. (9th)

COMMUNICATIONS - 140

Fee: Member \$18.00 and Non-Member \$25.00

Location

Dates

Times

Genesee ISD
Health & Nutrition Serv. Bldg.
5089 Pilgrim Road
Flint, MI

June 19-20, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Deadline: June 5, 2000

NOTE: Lunch fee is \$6.00 and should be mailed directly to GISD--do not add this fee into your registration fee.

Center Line - Board of Education
26400 Arsenal
Center Line, MI
Deadline: June 14, 2000

June 28-29, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

Grayling Elementary
1000 Michigan Avenue
Grayling, MI
Deadline: July 17, 2000

July 31-August 1, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

PRINCIPLES OF FOOD PREP - 150

Prerequisite: Sanitation & Safety - 120

Fee: Member \$18.00 and Non-Member \$25.00

Each participant must bring a calculator to class.

Location	Dates	Times
Gaylord High School 90 Livingston Blvd. Gaylord, MI <i>Deadline: June 14, 2000</i>	June 28-29, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

NUTRITION I - 180

Fee: Member \$18.00 and Non-Member \$25.00

Location	Dates	Times
Columbia Middle School 321 School Street Brooklyn, MI <i>Deadline: June 12, 2000</i>	June 26-27, 2000	9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Grand Rapids Nutrition Center 1130 Race Street Grand Rapids, MI <i>Deadline: July 17, 2000</i>	July 31-August 1, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
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NUTRITION I - 180 (continued)

Fee: Member \$18.00 and Non-Member \$25.00

Location	Dates	Times
Grayling Elementary 1000 Michigan Avenue	July 31-August 1, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Grayling, MI
Deadline: July 17, 2000

Washtenaw ISD
1819 South Wagner Road
Ann Arbor, MI
Deadline: July 19, 2000

August 2-3, 2000 8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.

Genesee ISD
Health & Nutrition Serv. Bldg.
5089 Pilgrim Road
Flint, MI
Deadline: July 31, 2000
NOTE: Lunch fee is \$6.00 and should be mailed directly to GISD--do not add this fee into your registration fee.

August 14-15, 2000 8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

***NEW!!! IN RESPONSE TO YOUR REQUESTS,
☞☞☞☞☞ HERE ARE SOME 3-HOUR CLASSES ON ☞☞☞☞☞
INDIVIDUAL FOOD PREP TOPICS***

You choose the ones you need:

GRAIN BASED DESSERTS - 201 (3 hours--not 10 hours)
Fee: Member \$15.00 and Non-Member \$18.00
Prerequisites: Sanitation & Safety - 120 and Principles of Food Prep - 150

Location	Dates	Times
Charlotte High School 378 State Street Charlotte, MI <i>Deadline: June 1, 2000</i>	June 15, 2000	9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.
Creston High School 1720 Plainfield NE Grand Rapids, MI <i>Deadline: June 14, 2000</i>	June 28, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Genesee ISD
Health & Nutrition Serv. Bldg.
5089 Pilgrim Road
Flint, MI
Deadline: August 3, 2000
NOTE: Lunch fee is \$6.00 and should be mailed directly to GISD--do not add this fee into your registration fee.

August 17, 2000 12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

SALADS & SALAD DRESSINGS - 202 (3 hours-- not 10 hours)
Fee: Member \$15.00 and Non-Member \$18.00
Prerequisites: Sanitation & Safety - 120 and Principles of Food Prep - 150

Location	Dates	Times
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Genesee ISD
Health & Nutrition Serv. Bldg.
5089 Pilgrim Road
Flint, MI

June 15, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Deadline: June 1, 2000

NOTE: Lunch is \$6.00. Please mail directly to GISD--do not add this fee into your registration fee.

Charlotte High School
378 State Street
Charlotte, MI

June 16, 2000

9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Deadline: June 2, 2000

Creston High School
1720 Plainfield NE
Grand Rapids, MI

June 27, 2000

8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Deadline: June 13, 2000

CATERING - 203 (3 hours-- not 10 hours)

Fee: Member \$15.00 and Non-Member \$18.00

Prerequisites: Sanitation & Safety - 120 and Principles of Food Prep - 150

Location

Dates

Times

Genesee ISD
Health & Nutrition Serv. Bldg.
5089 Pilgrim Road
Flint, MI

June 15, 2000

12:30 p.m. - 3:30 p.m.

Please note the date change!

Deadline: June 1, 2000

NOTE: Lunch fee is \$6.00 and should be mailed directly to GISD--do not add this fee into your registration fee.

Creston High School
1720 Plainfield NE
Grand Rapids, MI

June 27, 2000

1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Deadline: June 13, 2000

SATELLITING FOODS - 204 (3 hours-- not 10 hours)

Fee: Member \$15.00 and Non-Member \$18.00

Prerequisites: Sanitation & Safety - 120 and Principles of Food Prep - 150

Location	Dates	Times
Creston High School 1720 Plainfield NE Grand Rapids, MI <i>Deadline: June 14, 2000</i>	June 28, 2000	1:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Genesee ISD Health & Nutrition Serv. Bldg. 5089 Pilgrim Road Flint, MI <i>Deadline: August 3, 2000</i>	August 17, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
NOTE: Lunch fee is \$6.00 and should be mailed directly to GISD--do not add this fee into your registration fee.		

MERCHANDISING SCHOOL MEALS - 260
Fee: Member \$18.00 and Non-Member \$25.00

Location	Dates	Times
Oakland ISD 2100 Pontiac Lake Road Waterford, MI 48328 <i>Deadline: June 13, 2000</i>	June 27-28, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.

MICHIGAN'S HEALTHY EDGE 2001 - 280
Fee: Member \$18.00 and Non-Member \$25.00

Location	Dates	Times
Reeths Puffer High School 1545 Roberts Road Muskegon, MI <i>Deadline: May 30, 2000</i>	June 13-14, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Freeland Jr./Sr. High School 8250 Webster Road Freeland, MI <i>Deadline: June 12, 2000</i>	June 26-27, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Gaylord High School 90 Livingston Blvd. Gaylord, MI <i>Deadline: June 12, 2000</i>	June 26-27, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Kalamazoo RESA 1819 East Milham Avenue Kalamazoo, MI <i>Deadline: June 12, 2000</i>	June 26-27, 2000	8:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.

MICHIGAN'S HEALTHY EDGE 2001 - 280 (continued)

Fee: Member \$18.00 and Non-Member \$25.00

Location	Dates	Times
Waterford Mott High School 1151 Scott Lake Road Waterford, MI <i>Deadline: June 13, 2000</i>	June 27-28, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.
Okemos High School 2800 Jolly Road Okemos, MI <i>Deadline: July 17, 2000</i>	July 31-August 1, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
Genesee ISD Health & Nutrition Serv. Bldg. 5089 Pilgrim Road Flint, MI <i>Deadline: July 24, 2000</i> <i>NOTE: Lunch fee is \$6.00 and should be mailed directly to GISD--do not add this fee into your registration fee.</i>	August 7-8, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
Charlotte High School 378 State Street Charlotte, MI <i>Deadline: July 31, 2000</i>	August 14-15, 2000	8:00 a.m. - 1:00 p.m.

TARGET YOUR MARKET FOR MANAGERS- 340 (3 hours)

Fee: Member \$10.00 and Non-Member \$10.00

Location	Dates	Times
Grand Rapids Nutrition Center 1130 Race Street Grand Rapids, MI <i>Deadline: July 19, 2000</i>	August 2, 2000	8:30 a.m. - 12:00 Noon

Use one form and one check per class.

Last Name		
First Name		
Social Security Number		
School District Name		District #
Home Address City, Zip		
Telephone Number	Home: () Work: () <i>NOTE: Please enter home telephone number--it is virtually impossible to contact individuals of any cancellations through the school district when classes are held when school is not in session (i.e., summer, inclement weather).</i>	
MSFSA Membership #	Check which type of menu planning method you use: <input type="checkbox"/> Food based - traditional <input type="checkbox"/> Nutrient standard <input type="checkbox"/> Food based - enhanced <input type="checkbox"/> Assisted NSMP	\$

Make check payable to MSFSA and mail to: **Michigan Department of Education,
Statewide Training Program--School Meals Unit
P.O. Box 30008, Lansing, MI 48909**

*To complete your registration, we must receive a check or purchase order number by the deadline.
You may fax this information to (517) 373-4022.*

All registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. If this class is filled, the registration form and check will be returned to you. **Confirmation letters will NOT be mailed.** Assume that you are registered unless otherwise notified.

For Michigan Department of Education Use Only	Check #	<input type="checkbox"/> School <input type="checkbox"/> Personal	Amount	\$

Statewide Training Program Multi-Registration Form

Use one form and one check per class.

CLASS NAME: _____				SCHOOL DISTRICT: _____		DISTRICT NUMBER: _____	
LOCATION OF CLASS: _____				PHONE: _____			
DATE(S) OF CLASS: _____							
Last Name	First Name	Social Security #	Home Telephone #	Home Address (Street, City, Zip)	MSFSA #	Fee Per Student	
1							
2							
3							
4							
5							
Check which type of menu planning method you use: <input type="checkbox"/> Food based - traditional <input type="checkbox"/> Nutrient standard <input type="checkbox"/> Food based - enhanced <input type="checkbox"/> Assisted NSMP							
Total the right hand column and attach a separate check for this amount only.						\$ _____	
Make checks payable to MSFSA .							

Make check payable to MSFSA and mail to:

Michigan Department of Education,

Statewide Training Program--School Meals Unit

P.O. Box 30008, Lansing, MI 48909

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For Michigan Department of Education Use Only	Check #	<input type="checkbox"/> School Personal	Amount	\$
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